

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Bach et al.

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Examiner: Metzmaier

For: A Method for Improving Particle Compositions

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Applicants enclose an Amendment/Reply and Information Disclosure Statement (IDS).
2. Applicants request that the time for response to the Office Action dated August 6, 2010 be extended for a period of two months from November 6, 2010 to January 6, 2011.
3. All required fees were charged to Novozymes North America, Inc.'s Deposit Account No. 50-1701 at the time of electronic filing. The USPTO is authorized to charge this Deposit Account should any additional fees be due.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 5, 2011

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